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APPLICANTS : PERTTI TORMALA *et al.*

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FOR : BIOACTIVE AND BIODEGRADABLE COMPOSITES OF
POLYMERS AND CERAMICS OR GLASSES AND METHOD
TO MANUFACTURE SUCH COMPOSITES

GROUP ART UNIT : 1615

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NOTICE OF APPEAL

SIR:

The Applicants hereby appeal the final rejection of claims 1-6 and 9-22 in the final Office Action of the Examiner dated March 8, 2005 to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the fee \$500 (for **Notice of Appeal**) and any additional fees and/or patent application processing fees in connection with this appeal required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 and 1.17 or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

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